

GEORGIA'S WANTS TO GET A BANQUET State Society Hears Favorite Sons and Others at Annual Gathering.

SOME STRIKING FACTS A FEATURE OF EVENING William J. Harris, Representative Adamson and Senator Thomas Among the Speakers.

Some striking things about Georgia and the people of that state were told last night at the first annual banquet of the Georgia Society of the District of Columbia, held at the Raleigh Hotel...

It was distinctly a Georgia night, and in the midst of the jollification which ended with dancing, Claude N. Bennett directed the attention of those assembled to the fact that the Georgia Society...

Mr. Harris Toastmaster. Mr. Harris served as toastmaster, and the speakers were, in addition to Mr. Bennett, Representative Sisson of Mississippi, Senator Charles S. Thomas of Colorado, Representative William C. Adamson and Representative W. G. Brantley...

AUSTRIANS BEAT BACK ATTACK OF ITALIANS Success Claimed at Two Points. Rome Reports Successful Operations.

LONDON, April 1.—After a period of bad weather, fighting has been resumed on the Austro-Italian front. For the most part, however, the activities are confined to artillery engagements, and such infantry clashes as have occurred have not resulted in changes of position.

Artillery Duels Fought. On the Isonzo front, artillery duels were fought. Enemy batteries bombarded with especially severe cross-fire our positions along the heights northeast of Gorizia...

Will Handle French Blockade. PARIS, April 1.—Dennis Cochon, member of the cabinet, without portfolio, has taken over the regulation of the blockade against France, in co-operation with Lord Robert Cecil, minister of war trade for Great Britain.

SCHOOL IS 'SHOT UP.' Commencement Exercises at Smiths, N. C. Have Serious Ending.

IRISH ENGLAND GREATEST DEATH Twenty-Eight Killed and Thirty-Four Injured in Zeppelin Incursion.

MANY MEMBERS OF CREW LOST; AIRSHIP INJURED Destruction of German Dirigible Cause of Great Rejoicing in London.

LONDON, April 1.—Dispatches received from points on the southeast, the east and the northeast coast and in the eastern counties indicate that last night's Zeppelin raid, or raids—for there were apparently separate ventures north and south—were the most extensive yet undertaken.

Comes Down in Sea. The Zeppelin reported by the admiralty to have fallen into the sea was L-15. She was hit by gunfire while over the eastern counties, a shell striking the upper part of the ship near the mast.

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124 LIVES ARE LOST WHEN SHIPS GO DOWN Casualties for Month of March Announced by British Board of Trade.

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DESCRIBES PROGENITORS OF FOREIGN MILITARISM Mis Janet Richards Also Tells of Her Experiences in Europe.

Historical details of the development of militarism in Russia by Peter the Great and in Austria by Frederick the Great were given by Miss Janet Richards last night at Rauscher's, Connecticut avenue and L street northwest.

Describes Early Life. She described the early life of Frederick William of Brandenburg, later known as Frederick the Great, third king of Prussia.

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